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BY TELEGRAPH.

IS NOW A WAITING GAME

News From the European War Scene Today Shows that Crafty Greece Is Only Waiting the Right Moment. Why War is Delayed.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

Athens April 13.—The trouble between Greece and Turkey is now only a waiting game. Neither side wants to be first to begin the war.

The frontier situation is developing slowly for two reasons: bad weather and extreme cold, and because dispatches are being considerably delayed intentionally or otherwise. The condition of affairs is no less menacing, however, and open hostilities or a back down of one or the other or both countries cannot be much longer delayed.

Both Greece and Turkey are trying to avoid if possible being classed as the aggressor in the conflict. It is an open secret here that by the end of the week at least 10,000 Greek irregulars will be in Macedonia, Albania and Epirus, thus making really successful steps in a war like direction before hardly a shot is fired.

It is acknowledged that Greece is gaining by every hour of delay, and is getting her troops in the best possible position for the opening of the war. This shows the shrewdness of the Greek leaders.

St. Petersburg April 13.—The Novoe Vremya declares that all coercion of Greece on the part of the Powers will cease as soon as war is declared, because otherwise it would bear the character of intervention in behalf of Turkey. This will hasten Greece's action.

Larissa April 13.—The invaders continue to blockade Baitre. It is reported that Turkish reinforcements are now en route from Diskata. The remainder of the insurgents have taken up positions in the mountains. The latest details at hand are that the invaders dynamited the Turkish post opposite Pholika and Perlangia. The troops here were kept standing under arms yesterday afternoon as it was feared that the raid would hasten hostilities. There has been an outbreak of snailpox among the Turks and many deaths are reported. A damas.

Turkish Report of the Invasion

Elassona April 13.—The Turkish staff officer who was sent to Kizilirmak by Edhem Pasha to ascertain definitely with respect to the invasion reports that the presence of Greek regulars among the invaders had been positively proved and that there is also good reason to believe that Greek officers of the regular army were in command. He states further that the bands he hidden during the daytime and sallied forth at night to fire upon the Turkish troops. Edhem Pasha's staff are greatly puzzled by these attacks. His offi-

A BOLD MOVE

Government to Take Possession of Private Steel Armor Plants

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

Washington, April 13.—Senator Chandler today introduced bills empowering the secretary of the navy to take possession of the armor plants of the Bethlehem and Carnegie companies and hold them long enough to secure the armor plate needed for the battleships Alabama, Illinois and Wisconsin. Just compensation is to be made to the companies for the use of their plants.

Over Strong's Veto

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

Albany, N. Y. April 12.—The greater New York bill passed the senate over Mayor Strong's veto by a vote of 34 to 10.

Local News!

A FATAL ACCIDENT.

Ernest J. Corey, a Junior in Williams College, Dies this Morning.

HIT WITH A BASEBALL.

But This May Not Have Been Direct Cause of Death. Autopsy This Afternoon will Reveal the True Conditions.

Ernest J. Corey, of the class of '98, Williams college, died at the college infirmary at 1:30 o'clock this morning. He was on Weston field with the baseball team Monday afternoon and was struck on the head by a pitched ball. The injury while considered serious was not at the time thought dangerous. Corey was removed at once to the college infirmary and everything possible was done for him. The end came unexpectedly this morn-

ing at 1:30 o'clock. The college was at once dismissed. A post mortem examination will be held this afternoon by Drs. Woodbridge and Oida. It is not thought his death was due directly to the injuries as he had not been in rugged health for some time past.

Corey was sub pitcher for three years, a tackle on the football team last year and the promising mainstay of this year's baseball team. He was a favorite with his fellow students and his death is the cause of universal sorrow.

The Date Changed.

General John B. Gordon will lecture in this city Thursday, April 29 instead of April 27. It is supposed that he has been asked to New York on the latter date to attend the Grant monument dedication ceremonies.

The Murphy Meetings.

The schedule for the Francis Murphy temperance meetings has been arranged and is as follows: Sunday afternoon the 18th, at the Methodist church, Monday evening, at the Congregational church, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at Odd Fellows' hall, Friday evening, at the Baptist church, Sunday afternoon, the 25th at the Methodist church, Monday evening and the rest of the week until Friday, at Odd Fellows' hall.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Mary Tenney Brand, who has been visiting her uncle, Rev. W. L. Tenney, for several weeks left today for Stamford, Conn.

Miss Kate O. Neil is home for vacation from the Boston conservatory of music. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. John Dinsmore of North Holden street.

Frank McHale is home for a short vacation from Exeter, N. H.

Mrs. Farrell Coyle, who has been ill for the past two weeks with pneumonia, is convalescing. Miss Jeanie Crossie is visiting friends in Albany. Edwin Rogers is expected home from his winter trip this week.

Joseph J. Barrington has accepted a position with Burdett & Co.

Miss Madge Carney of Adams is taking vocal lessons of David Bokeria.

GORDY MURDER TRIAL

A New Yorker In Court at Georgetown, Del.

ALLEGED TO HAVE KILLED HIS WIFE.

The Body Found In the Water and Showing Evidence of Foul Play—Some of the Testimony Given on the Stand.

Georgetown, Del. April 13.—The trial of James M. Gordy charged with the murder of his wife formerly Mrs. Mary Lewis of New York by throwing her into the Broadkill river at Milton Del. on March 11 last, was begun here.

Long before the judges arrived in the court house corridors were packed so thickly with people that it was a task for the officers to open a passageway wide enough to admit those entitled to enter. Admission to the courtroom was by ticket.

Chief Justice Lore and Judges Charles T. Cullen and David F. Marvel were upon the bench. Of the 56 men summoned on the special jury panel 51 were called before the twelfth juror was accepted and sworn.

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Rev. William W. Mott, assistant rector of the church of the Holy Communion New York city, then took the stand. He swore he married James M. Gordy and Estella M. Lewis at the church Twentieth street and Sixth avenue, New York on Feb. 25 last. He positively identified Gordy as the man and also identified Estella as the woman he had married to Gordy.

Dead Woman's Sister Testifies.

Mrs. Blanche Goetz, sister of the dead woman was the next witness. She swore that the body was that of her sister and identified the diamond ring taken from Gordy's finger as the dead woman's. She also identified the silk bag and curling irons found in Gordy's room the day after the murder and every article of furniture at the freight depot where which was shipped to James M. Gordy from New York two days before the murder. The witness was visibly affected during the cross examination but her story was not shaken. Miss Dubrick of Brooklyn a cousin of the dead woman corroborated Mrs. Goetz's story. John Robinson, a fisherman, then took the stand. He swore he had found the body and towed it to Milton 800 yards away. The feet of the corpse were stuck in the mud a foot or more and they had to raise the body before they could tow it up the creek.

Postmortem Apportioned

Washington April 13.—The following four class postmortems have been apportioned: New Jersey—Allenwood William P. Lafetra. Avon by the Sea Charles F. White. Collierville Tenn. R. T. Teller. Liberty Conn. Henry B. Ramme. Peckinckton N. Y. M. Green.

New York—Arlington Henry Allen, South Millbrook W. S. Estelle. Verona George L. Powers. Pennsylvania—Ashted E. A. Beyer, Blue Bell Adam G. St. Bonastown, Elmer E. Setz. Bowmanville Samuel G. Seifert. Clay Bham C. Stelmets. Colorado D. C. Bunting. Colorado Frederick W. Arzbacher. Creswell D. Fred. Danielville Samuel Kinsler. Tennessee Mrs. Arnold M. Greenly. Hahnstown Richard R. Bliker. Highville Albert A. Manning. Intercourse Jason K. Daby. Kinzers John Hook. Hill Neck Penna. E. D. Can. Teepleville W. J. Hills.

A Barones Lecture.

New York April 13.—Baroness von Bulow, niece of the Baroness von Moltke, addressed the kindergarten teachers of New York and vicinity in the assembly hall of the United Nations building. The hall was crowded. The barones address was largely a review of her aunt's participation in kindergarten work. She told of the growth of intelligence in the child and the formation of his mind and declared that Froebel had been inspired.

New Electric Lighting Company.

Albany April 13.—The Amsterdam Electric Light and Power company organized to furnish electricity for heat power and lighting public streets and private buildings in the city of Brooklyn and other cities villages and towns within the state filed certificates of incorporation. Its capital stock is \$1,000,000, divided into 100,000 shares. The directors are Frank G. Witter and Edward J. Prest of New York city and Henry Keale of Brooklyn.

Chicago Paper Companies Assign

Chicago April 13.—Owing to the death of M. J. Fitch the paper dealer two companies of which he was president have made an assignment. The names of the companies are the M. J. Fitch Paper company and the American Roll Wrapping Paper company. The Fitch company is said to have assets of \$1,000,000 with an equal amount of liabilities. The roll paper company is claimed to have assets of \$250,000 with liabilities of \$150,000.

Chinus to Have Found Gold

White Plains N. Y. April 13.—Niles S. Smith, who owns a fine country seat on Dusenbury's hill says he has found a gold mine on his place and that specimens of the ore have been assayed and are said to be worth \$7 to \$9 a ton. Smith's claim has been reported in various parts of Westchester county but the finds have never amounted to anything.

General New York Bill Passed.

Albany April 13.—The assembly without much discussion passed the Greater New York bill over the veto of Mayor Strong of New York by a vote of 106 to 32 and two supplemental bills one amending the election law and one relating to supervisors in Queens county.

Weather Forecast.

Fair warmer variable winds, becoming southerly.

DEMOCRATIC CLUBS.

Meeting of Executive Committee of the National Association.

MANY PROMINENT PERSONS PRESENT

An Address Issued to the Democratic Voters of the Country—President McKinley Appoints Immediate Conference Commissioners.

Washington April 13.—The first meeting of the new executive committee of the National Association of Democratic Clubs took place here at the Edgemoor house. There was a very full attendance of members of the committee and in addition some of the officers who are ex-officio members of the committee. Those present included the following: Hon. Chaney F. Black of Pennsylvania. Hon. Joseph C. Sibley of Pennsylvania. Senator Faulkner of West Virginia. Representative Denton M. Millin of Tennessee. Representative Denton of Missouri. Hon. George F. Williams of Massachusetts. Lloyd L. Jackson of Maryland. Hon. William J. Bryan of Nebraska. Hon. William J. Bryan of Nebraska. Hon. William J. Bryan of Nebraska.

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The space inside the railing is about 25 feet wide and also at the rear by a counter and railing which run to the left three feet of the wall and to the right of the entrance door. The cashier and teller of the bank are seated at the rear of the counter and the cashier's desk is at the rear of the counter and the cashier's desk is at the rear of the counter.

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BOLD BANK ROBBERY

Yonkers Bank Robbed In Broad Daylight by Two Men

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SUBURBAN NEWS.

Happenings of Interest in
Our Neighbor Towns.

AT ADAMS TODAY

Old Man Assaulted.

Monday evening about 8 o'clock James Burke committed a bad assault upon Patrick Ruddy. Ruddy is a boarder at P. Tumppane's house on Pleasant street, is 54 years old and is in poor health. Monday morning Burke came to the house with a couple of the boarders and was ordered out by Mrs. Tumppane. In the evening he entered their house on Spring street and began arguing with Mr. Ruddy when Mrs. Tumppane entered and again told him to leave. He refused and began snatching her. Without saying anything Mr. Ruddy left the house and was about to go after an officer. Burke realizing the old man's intention rushed out and struck him full in the face and when he fell to the sidewalk he gave him two hard kicks on the body breaking a rib. The old man was assisted to the house where Dr. Thayer attended him. Burke was arrested and placed in the station. It was reported on the street that Ruddy had been almost killed and quite a sensation resulted.

Died Suddenly.

Harvey Parker, the wrestler, who was training James Gilligan for the latter's match with Robert Reakes of Lawrence in Koehler's Turn hall on Summer street Tuesday evening, received a telegram Saturday from Rochester, N. Y., stating that his wife was very sick. He left on the 6.30 train south for Pittsfield and was about to leave for Albany, N. Y., when a telegram signed with his wife's name reached the Greylock house saying she was better and not to come. A messenger from the Bank house told Mr. Parker and he returned to Adams on the last train Saturday evening. On Sunday evening another despatch came and requested him to come home at once. As the last train had gone to Pittsfield Landford Morse drove Mr. Parker to Pittsfield where he boarded a train home. This morning Mr. Morse received a telegram from the Rochester depot signed by Mr. Dwyer that Mrs. Parker had died. Mrs. Parker was about 28 years old.

For the World's Championship.

James Gilligan, alias Burke, of North Adams and Robert Reakes of Lawrence will wrestle at Koehler's Turn hall Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock for a purse of \$100 and the championship of the world at 137 pounds. Gilligan has been training for the past week with Harvey Parker and is in the form. His Adams' admirers will back him heavily. On the other hand Reakes of Lawrence is the recognized 140 pound champion of the world and will be backed by Lawrence sports. The match promises to be one of the finest exhibitions ever given in this section.

Successor Appointed.

Miss Mary Shea of number six Hoosac street school will be transferred to fill Miss Foote's vacancy at number two Liberty street. Miss Shea is a graduate of the Cheever high school and of the Westfield Normal school and has taught in town for some time and has proved herself one of the best young teachers. A teacher will be appointed to take Miss Shea's place.

An Interesting Meeting.

One of the most interesting meetings yet by the Fortnightly club was that held with Dr. H. B. Holmes at his office in the Armory building Monday evening. The doctor read a very fine paper on X rays and gave illustrations and tried experiments with the machine. A discussion of the subject by the members was held and it proved not only interesting but very instructive.

Appointments by the Selectmen.

The regular meeting of the selectmen was held Monday evening and the following appointments were made: Superintendent of streets, Major R. A. Whipple; manager of the opera house, Herbert O. Hicks; and town treasurer, Franklin H. B. Munson. The appointments are all good ones and should meet with general favor.

Board Organized.

The board of health met Monday evening and organized as follows: Dr. Hurd, chairman; Dr. J. H. Crowley, secretary; and Peter T. Connors, inspector of plumbing. Some business was permitted during the past year but the board will pay strict attention to all sanitary laws the ensuing year.

Down the Fire.

About 8 o'clock Monday morning the damper in the flue from the boiler of the Berkshire mill No. 3, fell down the flue and caused the mill to shut down. During the forenoon it was repaired and the help returned to work at 1 o'clock.

Applications for Licenses.

Quite a number of applications have been received for liquor licenses and many more are expected. The past year all of the saloon men have been careful and lived pretty close to the law. The applications must be entered by Saturday.

August Anlauf.

August Anlauf, aged 88 years, died at the town farm Monday from the effects of a paralytic shock. He was born in Germany and leaves a daughter and two sons. The funeral was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A Good Game.

One game in the Hoosac club's billiard tournament was played Monday evening between D. M. Brown 60 and James McGrath 75. The game was interesting throughout. McGrath won 75 to 40.

A business meeting of the Ladies' Re-novator society of the Congregational church was held Monday evening. Berkshire lodge, P. and A. M., met Monday evening and the E. A. degree was worked. The Essex Whist club will be entertained.

The Secret is Out.

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To sell
Welcome Soap
The trick is
"Not to sell it."
"Inferior brands
Pay larger profits."
This accounts for
The expression
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tained by Mr. and Mrs. John S. Adams Jr. of Maple Grove this evening.

Co-operative bank meeting this evening.

Miss Gertrude Richmond is home from Smith college, Northampton, to spend the Easter vacation.

A rehearsal of Lafayette band will be held at its rooms this evening.

K. N. Richmond left for a trip to Boston Monday evening.

Supper and entertainment at the Baptist church this evening.

Dr. Thompson's lecture at Trinity Methodist church.

Kerlin Brothers will serve light refreshments at the Foresters Easter Monday ball.

A GUARANTEE.

To the people of Adams we wish to say that having purchased the fish and vegetable market at 37 Centre street, we intend to conduct the cleanest and best stocked market ever kept in town. At all times you will find a complete stock of everything in the fish line and we positively guarantee to furnish you with the finest of vegetables, all in their season. Give us a call.

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Having bought out H. Gardella I have repacked the stock with a full supply of fresh candies. Having been in the business for 15 years and I am prepared to give some of the finest flavored confectionery you ever tasted. Fresh peanuts.

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Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich real brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One fourth the price of coffee, 1lb. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

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A powder to be shaken into the shoes. At this season your feet feel swollen and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures and prevents swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address Allen B. Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y.



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The Commissioner of Public Works will hold regular meetings at the City Hall on Monday and Friday afternoons at 3 o'clock.

JAS. E. HUNTER,
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Among the bargains I have for sale I would call particular attention to the following: A roomy house and 14 acres of land on Riverview avenue.

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Real Estate Bought and Sold.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Deer in a Dooryard—Mrs. Davis Dead
—A Good Piece of Work—The
Cemetery Question—A Prosperous
Society—Last of the Course.

A Good Piece of Work.

Dr. Hall is proud, as he has reason to be, of the success of an operation he performed three months ago on a mare which had a bad fistula on the neck. The animal had been affected for two years and many attempts to heal the sore had been made, but all to no purpose. Dr. Hall, who is not a veterinarian, bought the mare at a very low figure and succeeded in effecting a complete cure. The mare is now in daily use and is apparently sound. She is six years old, well bred, handsome and a good traveler, and it would take many times what the doctor paid for her to buy her today.

Last of the Course.

The last concert in the Thompson entertainment course will be given in Goodrich hall Thursday evening by the Star Orchestra club (11 members of the Boston Symphony orchestra) and Dr. Clark, basso. This club was engaged to come some time ago, but was unable at that time to fill the engagement. The concert will be a musical treat of a high order and will in all probability be largely attended. The price of tickets is 50 cents.

Mrs. John W. Davis.

Lillian C., wife of John W. Davis, died Monday at her home in the White Oaks of pneumonia, aged 46 years. The family moved to this town from North Adams last fall. Mrs. Davis leaves a seriously ill child, some of whom are seriously ill. The funeral will be held from the White Oaks chapel Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Stryker officiating, and the interment will be in the east cemetery.

Deer in a Dooryard.

A fine deer passed through William Grundy's dooryard in the White Oaks Sunday morning. He did not tarry long, but dashed away for the woods almost as soon as discovered. Lemuel Morgan, watchman at the water works, says deer are becoming quite common on the mountain in this region.

Club Officers Elected.

The Cosmopolitan club held its annual meeting Monday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, B. F. Bridges; vice-president, Charles S. Cole; secretary, S. S. Town; treasurer, D. J. Neyland.

A Prosperous Society.

The F. M. T. A. society will take in 14 new members this evening, making a total membership of 50. The rooms of the society in the old postoffice building have just been newly furnished and the organization is in a very prosperous condition.

J. A. George was out Monday with his

bicycle, to which is attached his patent standard for holding the wheel in position while at a standstill, which enables a rider to stop without dismounting. It is thought the invention may be adopted by the government for use in the army, and if so it will prove valuable to Mr. George.

Invitations are out for the marriage of George W. Smith of South Williamstown and Miss Belle Gardner, which will take place Thursday evening, April 15, at the home of the bride's father, L. J. Gardner, at Hemlock Brook.

The College Dramatic club, which recently achieved great success in "The Rivals," is thinking of producing another play on the evening of Memorial day. All who had the pleasure of witnessing "The Rivals" certainly hope this will be done.

The last session of the Tuesday evening classes for this season will be held this evening. The classes were started about three months ago by Rev. Theodore Sedgwick and the work has been enjoyable and profitable to a large number of young men in this village and Blackinton. It will probably be renewed in the fall on a more extended scale.

The King's Daughters of the Methodist church will hold a social Friday evening at the home of Miss Lawrence on Southworth avenue.

Fred Busby of North Adams has rented the Currier farm near the Sand Springs and moved onto it.

Fred White has a fine horse which he recently purchased in New York state. The animal is a good stepper and helps to swell the list of lively horses now owned in this town.

The "Gull" made its appearance Monday and is, as usual, spicing reading for those familiar with college life and matters. It is pronounced the best issue of recent years.

Mrs. Ida Allen Fellner and son of Boston arrived in town Monday and are stopping at the home of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Hall.

Charles Odell is suffering from an abscess on the side of his neck and is under the care of Dr. Hall. It is a severe case, but Mr. Odell is expected to recover.

Mrs. Sarah Crowe injured her foot some time ago by falling from a wagon. Dry-splashes has now set in and the foot is in a very bad condition. Dr. Hall is attending.

The 11-year-old son of Frank More of Riverside is very sick and the symptoms indicate typhoid fever.

Mr. Burnham, instructor of drawing in the North Adams public schools, does not come to this town Mondays to teach drawing in the schools here, as has been stated. He meets the teachers on Saturday about once in three weeks to lecture on drawing and plan work in that line, and occasionally visits the school to see how the work is progressing.

C. Wilson Mills, son of C. A. Mills of Pittsfield, formerly of this town, has been appointed valedictorian of his class in the Pittsfield high school, which graduates in June. He expects to enter Williams college in the fall.

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